

Board of Education

ACTION

TITLE: Consider Approval of Professional Services Agreement

with Crux Technology

DATE: June 9, 2020

RESPONSIBLE ADMINISTRATOR: Doug Brubaker, Ph.D.

Superintendent

VISION 2023 STRATEGY: 2. Equity

4. Learning Environment/Facilities

6. Technology

BACKGROUND/CONSIDERATIONS:

The COVID-19 Pandemic has required that the district utilize technology in unprecedented ways in order to provide services to students and the community. Continued planning and research are needed to identify a feasible, long-term solution for student internet access. An independent assessment is also needed in the coming year of the district's data center at the Rogers Center. The projected cost for for these projects is \$15,000.

Approval of the attached agreement permits the district to pursue these projects and to secure professional guidance on other technology issues that may arise on an as-needed basis. The agreement has been reviewed by counsel.

RECOMMENDATION:

The administration recommends approval of the attached agreement. If the Board agrees, the motion would read: **move to approve the professional services agreement as presented.**

<u>VISION 2023 STRATEGIES</u> - 1. Career Planning: Develop and implement education and career pathways so that each student graduates with a viable plan and relevant skill set for his or her future. 2. Equity: Develop and implement a system-wide plan to provide all students with the resources they need to optimize their learning. 3. Instruction: Design, develop and implement programs to promote rigor, relevance, collaboration, critical—thinking skills and learning environments designed to meet each student's unique needs and aspirations.

4. Learning Environment/Facilities: Align resources, facilities and technology strategically and equitably across the district to maximize security and enhance the learning environment. 5. Staffing: Recruit and retain highly-qualified faculty, staff and administration. 6. Technology: Provide appropriate technology that is consistently available, effectively supported and equitably distributed for group and individual instruction.

7. Wellness: Develop and train empathetic and nurturing employees to be sensitive to and supportive of the needs of all children and families.